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In re Application of: HAMMER, Mordechai
Serial No. : 08/894,211
Filed : July 30, 1997
For : EXTENSIBLE AND RETRACTABLE
ELEMENTS AND VARIOUS USES FOR THE
ELEMENTS

Group Art Unit 3626
Examiner: A. Knight

Raanana, Israel
July 16, 2001

Hon. Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

RESPONSE TO FINAL REJECTION UNDER 37 CFR 1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE

In response to the Final Office Action mailed
January 19, 2001, kindly amend the above-identified
application as follows:

In the specification:

On page 8 line 11, kindly rewrite the paragraph as
follows:

Referring to Fig. 1, there is shown a preferred
embodiment of a tool 100 which can be operated from
either side. In Fig. 1 there is seen a pipe 102 with two
hand-movable segments 104, 106 (or more) on which there
can be assembled different tools at either end as needed.
In the figure, a roller 101 for painting is assembled on

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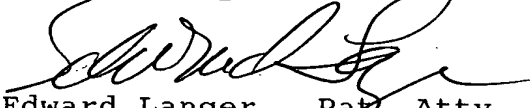
Re: U.S. Patent Appln. Serial No: 08/894,211
"EXTENSIBLE AND RETRACTABLE ELEMENTS AND VARIOUS USES FOR THE
ELEMENTS"
Our File: 0878

Dear Sir,

Enclosed please find the following documents:

1. Amendment in response to a Final Office Action mailed 19 January 2001.
2. Notice of Appeal.
3. Petition for Extension, until and including July 19, 2001.
4. Credit card form in the amount of US\$600.00.

Respectfully submitted,


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